



March - June

**Registration Deadline**Friday, February 19, 2016

### **LEAGUE PHILOSOPHY**

This is a <u>recreational</u> league! Our philosophy is that every child plays, regardless of skill, and that all participants have **FUN** and learn the game of basketball. We emphasize team play, cooperation, good sportsmanship, courtesy, respect to all players coaches, officials, coordinators, and parents.

### **PRACTICES**

Practices will be determined by the coaches' availability. Each team will practice one night during the week and once on the weekend, either Saturday or Sunday. Weekday practice times will be at 6:00 p.m. or 7:30 p.m. Weekend practices will be between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Once games begin, teams will only receive their week night practice, with games being on the weekend. Specific practice times can not be determined at this time.

Practices will be begin the weekend of March 12.

### **GAMES**

League play begins the weekend of April 2. Games will be played on Saturdays & Sundays, between 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. There will be some weeknight games if needed.

Specific game times for each grade level cannot be determined at this time. Once the number of teams have been determined, a game schedule will be created and distributed to the coaches mid March

### **TROPHIES**

Trophies will be provided for every child registered in Kindergarten thru 4th Grade.

### **REFUND POLICY**

100% refund if request is made prior to first practice.

50% refund if request is made less than two weeks before the first game.

0% refund once games have started.

### REGISTRATION

Every child that is registered before the deadline is guaranteed a place in the league.

# Deadline for registration is Friday, February 19

All players <u>not</u> registered by February 19 will be placed on a waiting list and added to teams if openings are available. A **\$30** late fee will be charged for any late registrations.

Please make every effort to register before the deadline date! Placement on a team is <u>not</u> <u>guaranteed</u> if the registration is late.

### **FEES**

\$80	Clayton Resident/Student
\$30	Late Fee if register after <i>Feb.</i> 19

### **TEAM SELECTION PROCESS**

The City of Clayton will divide players based on school.

Our goal is to have balanced teams. Therefore, individual requests for particular coaches or friends are discouraged.

Personal requests (carpooling, friends, coach/ team requests) are not accepted and receive no guarantee of being honored.

Your cooperation is very much appreciated, as the team selection process is difficult enough without numerous requests. There is no process that guarantees total parity, but we will do our best to come as close to it as possible!

# **INCLUSION SERVICES**

If your child needs assistance to participant in this league, that can be provided. For additional information contact Mary Furfaro, Coordinator of Inclusive Services, at 314-505-8607.

### **TO REGISTER**

Call 314-290-8500 to register by phone with a credit card or complete the form on the right and mail it with payment (check payable to The City of Clayton) to:

Clayton Parks and Recreation Youth Baseball League 50 Gay Avenue Clayton, MO 63105

Please use the following code when registering by phone or when completing the attached registration form.

## Kindergarten (coed) 18783

	Boys	Girls
Grade 1	18767	18768
Grade 2	18769	18770
Grade 3	18771	18772
Grade 4	18773	18774
Grade 5	18775	18776
Grade 6	18777	18778
Grade 7	18779	18780
Grade 8	18781	18782

# **COACHES**

Our program is dependent on volunteers. We are in search of people who will make a commitment to both the children and to the program. To ensure a quality experience, many individuals' knowledge, talent and energy are needed. The program needs coaches and assistant coaches. If you wish to help, please complete the coaching section of your child's registration form.

Individuals who sign up to be a head coach will receive their child's registration free. Any Individual who sign up to be an assistant coach will receive 50% off the child's registration cost.

Coaches will be required to submit to a background check.

# 2016 CLAYTON PARKS AND RECREATION BASEBALL/SOFTBALL (Please complete form in its entirety.)

Player's name			Gender
Address			Birth date
City	State		Current school
Primary phone	Secondary phone	ne	Grade
Parent's/Guardian's name			Code
Parent's/Guardian's e-mail address	SS		

curred while participating in or as a spectator at a City of Clayton sponsored activity. I have read and understand the registration and a parent of a minor My family and I hereby waive and release the City of Clayton and its representatives from claims for damages and/or injuries inany publicity or recordings for a participant or refund policies. REGISTRATION IS INVALID WITHOUT SIGNATURE. I also agree, as a par participant, to grant full permission to the City of Clayton to use my name, photograph, videotape promotion purposes without obligation or liability to me or my family.

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	Zip	Assistant Co	s and Recreat
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Make checks payable to: City of Clayton

ASSISTANT COACH

HEAD COACH

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I WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER

SIGNATURE